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RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.47(a)

Dear Sir:

In response to the DECISION ON PETITION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.47(a) dated 7 November 2001, having a response set to expire in two (2) months, on 7 January 2002, Applicants hereby renew their petition of 08 August 2001 as follows:

All Available Joint Inventors A.

In accordance with MPEP § 409.03(a)(A), a declaration of the available joint inventors, Edward A. Johnson, John S. Wollam, and James T. Daly, made on their own behalf and on

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behalf of non-signing joint inventor W. Andrew Bodkin, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.64, and in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.497, is submitted herewith.

B. Proof of Unavailability

In accordance with MPEP § 409.03(d), the belowsigned Attorney Mark G. Lappin, submits a Declaration, attached hereto, that fully describes the facts relied on to establish that a bona fide attempt was made to present a copy of the application papers (specification, claims, drawings, and declaration) to the non-signing inventor, W. Andrew Bodkin, and that W. Andrew Bodkin refused to sign the declaration.

Specifically, the Declaration supports the fact that Attorney Lappin hand-delivered the application papers to the non-signing inventor, W. Andrew Bodkin, on 5 January 2002, and that inventor Bodkin expressly refused to sign the declaration.

C. <u>Last Known Address</u>

In accordance with MPEP § 409.03(e), the last known address of W. Andrew Bodkin is: 37 Forest Street, Needham, Massachusetts 02492.

D. Conclusion

As the requirements under 37 C.F.R § 1.47(a) have been met, Applicants request that this Renewed Petition be granted. No additional petition fee is required, however, please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper to Deposit Account 50-113.

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Date: January 7, 2002

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosed: Declaration of Mark G. Lappin; and

Executed declaration of available joint inventors, Edward A. Johnson, John S.

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